MANAGEMENT BRIEFING

METHOD OF DESIGN FOR GROUND COOLANT SYSTEM TO MLP-1, -2, AND -3; OPF HB'S 1 AND 2; SLF; SLS; AND WSSH



BACKGROUND - S70-0508 REPLACEMENT DESIGN

- LATE 1985 DESIGN TO INVESTIGATE S70-0508 PROBLEMS AND FINAL LONG-RANGE SOLUTIONS PER DIRECTION FROM C. MARS
- EARLY 1986 S70-0508 DESIGN RESPONSIBILITY TURNED OVER TO LSOC FROM RI
- MID 1986 TO 1987 LSOC DE AND OPS FIELD TESTED S70-0508'S AND SUMMARIZED FINDINGS IN STUDY KSCL-3201-0060 RECOMMENDING INTERIM S70-0508 FIXES AND DEVELOPMENT OF A NEW GROUND COOLANT SYSTEM
- JUNE 1987 CCBD ISSUED TO CREATE 30% DESIGN FOR REPLACEMENT OF S70-0508'S ON PAD AND TO CREATE S70-0508 MOD DRAWINGS
- JUNE 1987 TO MARCH 1988 BIWEEKLY TEAM MEETINGS WITH NASA DE, OPS, SAFETY, AND LSOC DE, OPS, AND SAFETY HELD TO CREATE NEW CONCEPT
- DECEMBER 1987 LSOC DE RELEASED S70-0508 MOD DRAWING 80K50536
- JANUARY 1988 S70-0508 MODS PLACED ON HOLD DUE TO LACK OF FUNDING
- MARCH 1988 IN-HOUSE NEW DESIGN AT 30% TO 45% LEVEL PLACED ON HOLD DUE TO LACK OF FUNDING



BACKGROUND - S70-0508 REPLACEMENT DESIGN (CONT.)

- JUNE 1989 REQUEST TO LSOC ACTIVATION TO UTILIZE NEW DESIGN AS A PROTOTYPE AT OPF HB-3
- AUGUST TO SEPTEMBER 1989 TWO S70-0508'S MODIFIED; REMAINDER PUT ON HOLD DUE TO LACK OF FUNDING
- OCTOBER 1989 IMPLEMENTATION OF NEW DESIGN FOR OPF HB-3 APPROVED BY KSC.
- DECEMBER 1989 MEETING REPRESENTING LONG-RANGE S70-0508 REPLACE-MENT PRESENTED TO LEVEL I (REFERENCE CR NO. S50483D)
- JUNE 1990 TCTI PREPARED TO MODIFY TWO ADDITIONAL S70-0508'S (PLACED ON HOLD DUE TO LACK OF FUNDING)
- JULY 1990 NEW OPF HB-3 DESIGN COMPLETE
- OCTOBER 1990 FPC ESTABLISHED FOR NEW SYSTEM
- NOVEMBER 1990 NEW SYSTEM WELL UNDER CONSTRUCTION
- DECEMBER 1990 REVISE JUNE 1990 TCTI TO ACCOMPLISH MODIFICATION OF THREE S70-0508'S
- MAY 1991 NEW SYSTEM TO POWER UP AT KSC
- SEPTEMBER 1991 NEW SYSTEM TO MEET OPF HB-3 ORD



GROUND COOLANT UNIT ALLOCATION

| USE LOCATION | ACTUAL NO. | COMMENTS |
|-------------------------|---------------|-------------------------------------|
| PAD A PAD B OPF-1 | 2 2-1/2 | RECENTLY REFURBISHED UNITS |
| OPF-2 SLF | 1/2 1 1 | |
| DFRF WSSH | 2 1 | |
| PALMDALE | 2 | UNITS DO NOT HAVE LPS CAPABILITY |
| VAB-MBMR OPF-3 | 1 0 | USED FOR MAINTENANCE |
| TOTAL | 13 | |



GCU SUPPORT RECORD DURING HIGH LAUNCH PERIOD

- THREE TO FOUR UNITS CONSTANTLY UNDER REPAIR
- GCU'S WERE CONSTANTLY BEING MOVED BETWEEN SITES TO SUPPORT ORBITER TESTING
- THERE WERE TIMES WHEN ALL IN-COMMISSION UNITS WERE SUPPORTING TESTS WITH INSUFFICIENT BACK-UPS/COMPONENTS SPARES TO IMPROVE IN-COMMISSION RATE
- BACK-UP REQUIREMENTS DEVELOPED AS A MATTER OF LOW RELIABILITY -NOT OMRSD REQUIREMENTS

NOTE:

IT WAS NOT UNCOMMON TO WAIT 6 MONTHS FOR HIGH USAGE COMPONENTS (LIGHTS, SIGNAL CONDITIONERS, VALVES, QD'S, ETC.)



SUMMARY OF KSCL-3201-0060, S70-0508 RELIABILITY IMPROVEMENT AND 80K50611, MOD DRAWING

REFRIGERATION MODULE

- PROVIDE PERMANENT INSTRUMENTATION FOR ADJUSTMENT AND TROUBLE SHOOTING
- REPLACE THE BELT-DRIVEN CONDENSER COIL FAN WITH A TWO-SPEED, DIRECT DRIVE, HEAD-PRESSURE-CONTROLLED FAN
- PROVIDE A SUCTION ACCUMULATOR TO PREVENT LIQUID R-22 FROM RETURNING TO THE COMPRESSOR
- REPLACE THE REFRIGERANT RECEIVER WITH A RECEIVER EQUIPPED WITH A SIGHT GLASS
- REPLACE THE LIQUID LINE SIGHT GLASS WITH A SEE-THRU-TYPE SIGHT GLASS

CIRCULATION MODULE

- REMOVE THE EXISTING STORAGE CABINET FOR BETTER COMPONENT ACCESS
- PROVIDE WEATHER-SEALED BLAST COVERS FOR THE INSTRUMENT PANELS

NOTE:

ALL WORN COMPONENTS ARE TO BE REFURBISHED DURING FPC

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MODIFIED S70-0508 SUMMARY

- THE TWO MODIFIED S70-0508'S HAVE PROVEN TO BE MUCH MORE PREDICTABLE AND RELIABLE, AND SUCCESSFULLY SUPPORTED (WITHOUT INCIDENT) ALL THREE LAUNCHES IN WHICH THEY WERE USED *
- THE BASIC S70-0508 DESIGN (HEAT LOAD CAPACITY) IS STILL OVER REQUIREMENTS AND CANNOT HANDLE THE WIDE RANGE OF HEAT LOADS REQUIRED FOR LAUNCH
- THE LONG-TERM RELIABILITY OF THE MODIFIED S70-0508 UNITS IS LOW
- MODIFICATION OF MORE S70-0508'S PENDING FUNDING
- * THERE IS AN R-22 RECEIVER CERTIFICATION PROBLEM WHICH HAS BEEN WAIVED FOR STS-35. REPLACEMENT RECEIVERS ARE ON ORDER



GROUND COOLANT UNITS FOR ORBITER PROCESSING

PLAN

 PHASE OUT S70-0508 UNITS AND REPLACE WITH FIXED GROUND COOLING SYSTEMS

PRESENT

INSTALL NEW GROUND COOLING UNITS (S70-0509/0510/1203) AT OPF HB-3
TO IMPLEMENT THE DESIGN AND FUNCTIONALLY VERIFY THE SYSTEM

REQUESTED

- ADD THE SAME EQUIPMENT TO THE MLP'S WHICH WILL ELIMINATE CURRENT EQUIPMENT FOR VAB/PAD LOCATIONS AND IMPROVE RELIABILITY
- ADD THE SAME EQUIPMENT TO OPF-1 AND OPF-2 FACILITIES
- ADD SIMILAR EQUIPMENT TO THE LANDING SITES UTILIZING TRANSPORTERS
- INTERIM FIX MODIFY ADDITIONAL S70-0508'S FOR BETTER MAINTAINABILITY AND ORBITER SUPPORT AT PADS/OPF

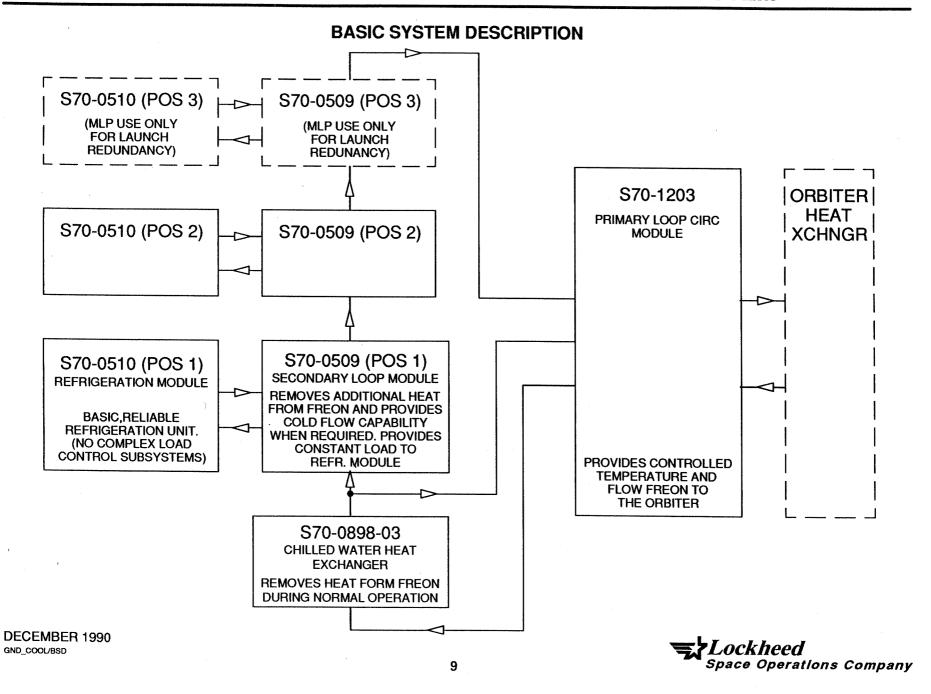


NEW GROUND COOLANT SYSTEM FEATURES

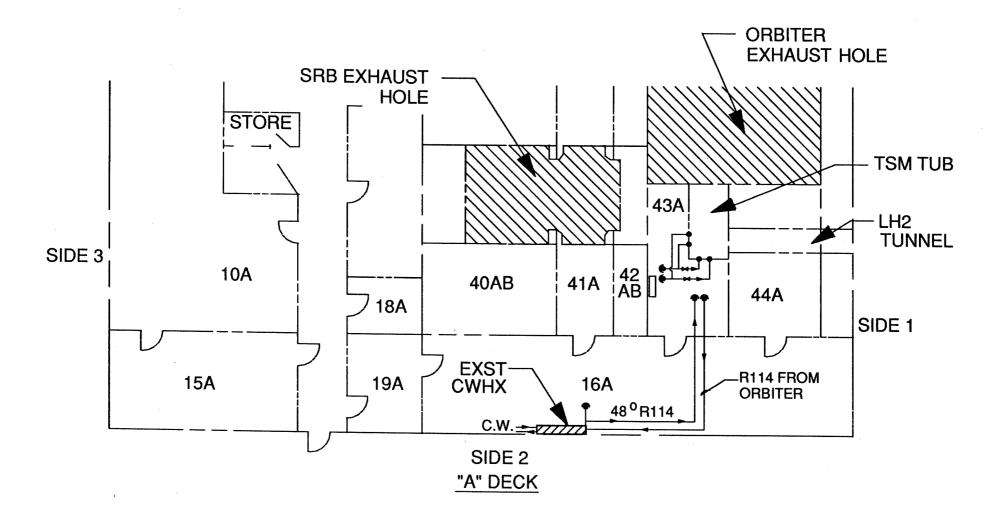
- THE NEW GROUND COOLANT SYSTEM HAS MANY ENHANCEMENTS OVER THE S70-0508'S. IT WILL BE SIMPLER TO MAINTAIN AND OPERATE AND USES A STATE-OF-THE-ART CONTROL SYSTEM
- A SUMMARY OF THESE FEATURES IS ATTACHED FOR REFERENCE



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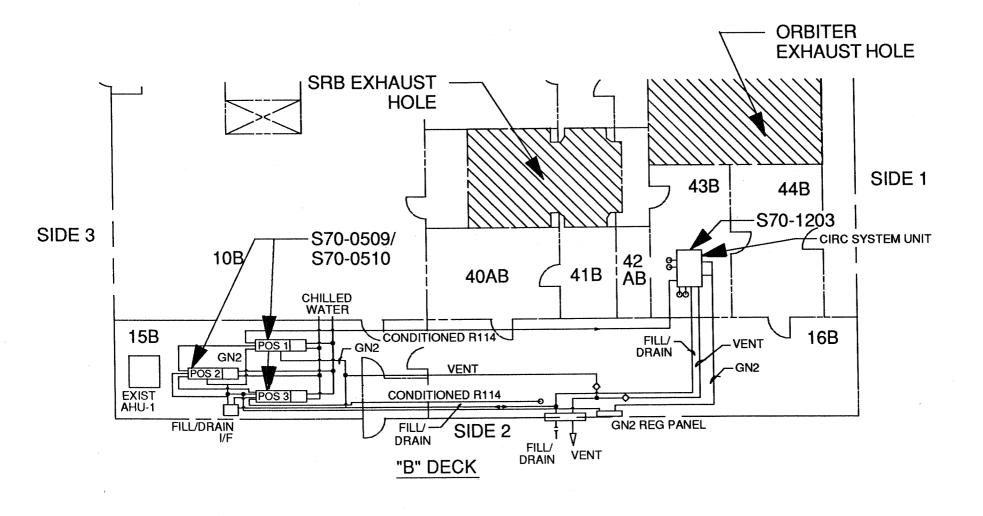
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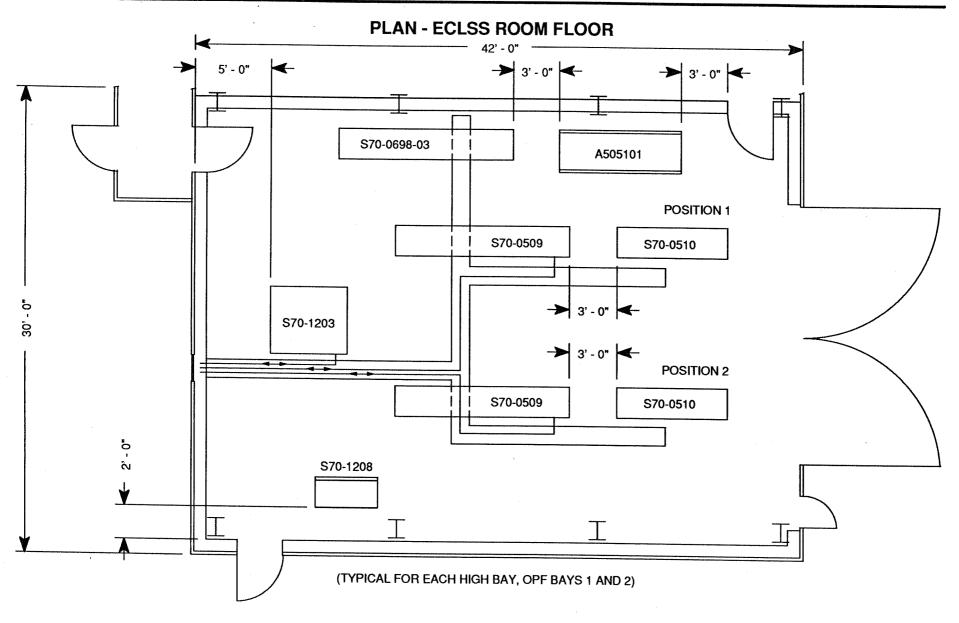


MLP GROUND COOLANT SYSTEM FLOOR PLAN









DECEMBER 1990 GND_COOL/ECLSS_PLAN



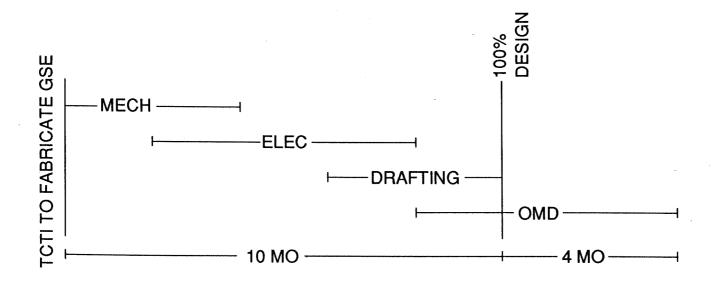
MLP-1, -2, AND -3 TASKS

- EQUIPMENT
 - DESIGN EXISTS
 - REQUIRES TCTI TO START FABRICATION
- MECHANICAL INSTALLATION DESIGN
 - MODIFY MLP COMPARTMENTS TO ACCOMMODATE GSE INSTALLATION
 - REMOVE FALSE FLOOR IN COMPARTMENT 15B
 - ADD ISOLATION MOUNTS
 - MODIFY FLUID DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM
- ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION DESIGN
 - PROVIDE NEW HIM'S
 - PROVIDE HARDWIRE SAFING PANEL IN FIRING ROOMS
 - ADD NEW CABLING TO GSE
 - PROVIDE COMPARTMENT 15B CONTROL STATION



MLP-1, -2, AND -3

| <u>DESIGN</u> | | |
|---------------|------|----------|
| MECHANICAL | 4 MO | 640 MH |
| ELECTRICAL | 6 MO | 1,000 MH |
| DRAFTING | 4 MO | 640 MH |
| OMD | 6 MO | 500 MH |





MLP-1, -2, AND -3

COSTS

| DESIGN | 2,780 MH x \$33/MH | = \$ 91,740 |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|
| EQUIPMENT | \$1.1 MILLION/MLP | = \$3,300,000 |
| FPC-INSTL | \$350,000/MLP | = \$1,050,000 |
| CHECKOUT | 480 MH/MLP x \$33/MH | = \$ 47,520 |
| SPARE LRU (509/510's) | \$400,000 | = \$ 400,000 |
| HIMS & OTHER | \$500,000/MLP (IF NEEDED) | = \$1,500,000 * |
| TOTAL | | = \$6,389,260 |

^{*} MAYBE REDUCED TO \$360,000 IF CURRENTLY AVAILABLE RUGGEDIZED VAFB HIMS ARE USED.

INSTALLATION

1-1/2 YEARS AFTER COMPLETION OF DESIGN BASED ON WORKING ALL THREE MLP'S IN A PARALLEL EFFORT. GSE TO START FABRICATION AT START OF INSTALLATION DESIGN.

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OPF HB-1 AND HB-2 TASKS

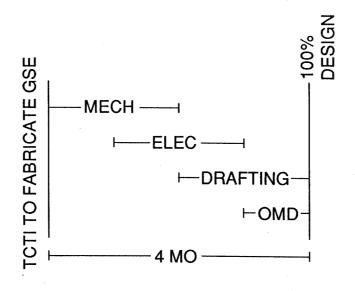
- EQUIPMENT
 - DESIGN EXISTS
 - REQUIRES TCTI TO START FABRICATION
- MECHANICAL INSTALLATION SYSTEM
 - MODIFY EXISTING FLUID DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM
- ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION SYSTEM
 - PROVIDE PATCHING AND CABLE INSTALLATION
- BUILDING
 - DESIGNED AND CONSTRUCTED USING C of F FUNDING



OPF HB-1 AND HB-2

DESIGN

| MECHANICAL | 2 MO | 320 MH |
|------------|------|--------|
| ELECTRICAL | 2 MO | 320 MH |
| DRAFTING | 2 MO | 320 MH |
| OMD | 1 MO | 100 MH |



(EXCLUDES BUILDING DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION)



OPF HB-1 AND HB-2

EQUIPMENT COSTS

| DESIGN | 1,060 MH x \$33/MH | = \$ | 34,980 |
|-----------|---------------------|-------|-----------|
| EQUIPMENT | \$900,000/HB | = \$1 | ,800,000 |
| FPC-INSTL | \$200,000/HB | = \$ | 400,000 |
| CHECKOUT | 480 MH/HB x \$33/MH | = \$_ | 31,680 |
| TOTAL | | = \$2 | 2.266.660 |

INSTALLATION

9 MONTHS AFTER BUILDINGS ARE COMPLETE

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LANDING SITES TASKS

- EQUIPMENT
 - EXISTING DESIGN FOR INDOOR USE MUST BE MODIFIED
- MECHANICAL
 - ENCLOSE UNITS
 - PROVIDE AIR-COOLED CONDENSER
 - MODIFY TRAILER INSTALLATION
 - MODIFY FLUID DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM
- ELECTRICAL
 - PROVIDE NEW GENERATOR (TBD)
 - PROVIDE CABLES
 - PROVIDE MODIFIED CONTROL SYSTEM

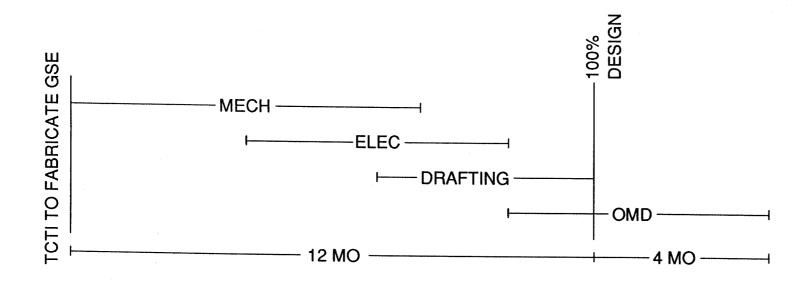
NOTE:

IT MAY BE FEASIBLE TO KEEP THE S70-0508'S AT THE LANDING SITES

LANDING SITES

| DESIGN |
|---------------|
|---------------|

| MECHANICAL | 8 MO | 1,280 MH |
|------------|------|----------|
| ELECTRICAL | 6 MO | 1,000 MH |
| DRAFTING | 5 MO | 800 MH |
| OMD | 6 MO | 500 MH |



LANDING SITES

COSTS

| DESIGN | 3,580 MH x \$33/MH | = \$ 118,140 |
|-----------|----------------------|---------------|
| EQUIPMENT | \$1.1 MILLION/TRL | = \$3,300,000 |
| FPC-INSTL | \$200,000/TRL | = \$ 600,000 |
| CHECKOUT | 480 MH/TRL x \$33/MH | = \$ 47,520 |
| SPARE LRU | \$400,000 | = \$ 400,000 |
| TOTAL | | = \$4,465,660 |

INSTALLATION

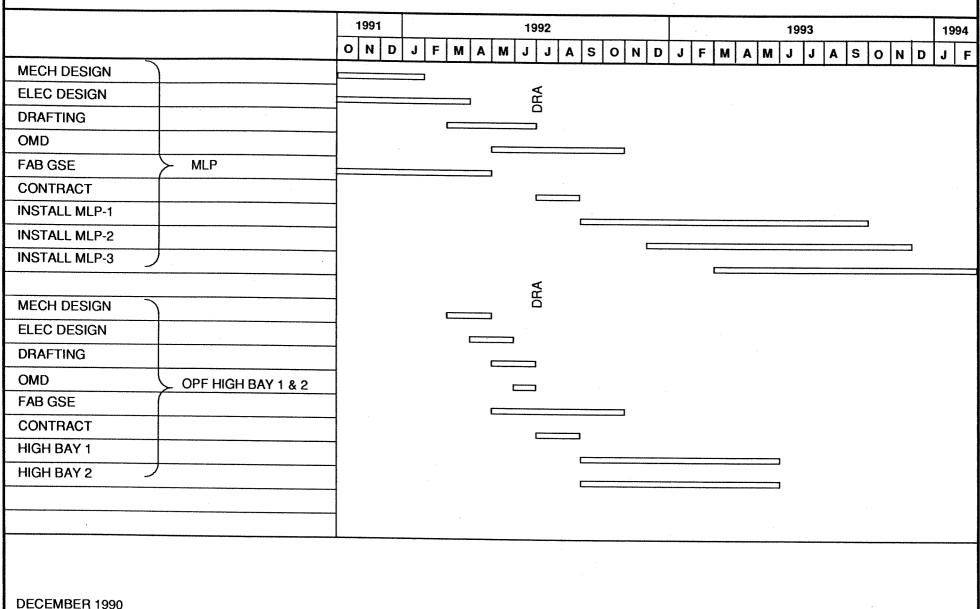
6 MONTHS AFTER COMPLETION OF DESIGN

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NEW GROUND COOLANT SYSTEM FEATURES

- HANDLES A WIDE RANGE OF HEAT LOADS
- BUILT-IN REDUNDANCY TO SUPPORT LAUNCH ACTIVITY
- REFRIGERATION SYSTEM IS BASED ON CONSTANTS WHICH PROVIDES A SIMPLE SYSTEM THAT IS EASY TO CALIBRATE AND TROUBLE SHOOT
- SYSTEM USES PROVEN KSC COMPONENTS
- SYSTEM IS DESIGNED PER KSC STANDARDS
- SYSTEM HAS OPEN PALLETIZED CABINETS PROVIDING EASY ACCESS FOR MAINTENANCE
- TRANSDUCERS HAVE BUILT-IN CALIBRATION PORTS SHORTENING SYSTEM DOWNTIME
- INLET PIPING TO UNITS ARE PROVIDED FROM OVERHEAD, ELIMINATING TRIPPING HAZARDS.
- SYSTEM IS INSTALLED IN A CONTROLLED ENVIRONMENT, REDUCING DETERIORATION, AND ADEQUATE SPACE AROUND GSE IS PROVIDED TO ENHANCE SERVICING AND OPERATION
- SYSTEM HAS REMOTE FILL PORTS AND OVERHEAD MONORAILS TO AID IN SERVICING



NEW GROUND COOLANT SYSTEM FEATURES (CONT.)

- REFRIGERATION SYSTEM USES WATER-COOLED CONDENSERS, ELIMINATING ENVIRONMENTAL FLUCTUATIONS AND MECHANISM FAILURES ASSOCIATED WITH AIR-COOLED CONDENSERS
- ALL VALVES AND CONTROLS ARE AT A SINGLE LOCATION ON EACH UNIT
- SYSTEM IS OF MODULAR CONSTRUCTION; COMPONENTS CAN BE REPLACED WITH MINIMAL DOWNTIME
- ALL FITTINGS ARE KC OR WELDED, ELIMINATING LEAKS
- THERE ARE NO ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT MANUFACTURE COMPONENTS IN THE UNITS, SAVING LOGISTICS COSTS
- REFRIGERATION UNITS HAVE NO COMPLEX LOAD CONTROL SUBSYSTEMS



NEW GROUND COOLANT SYSTEM FEATURES (CONT.)

- REFRIGERATION SYSTEM IS INSTALLED IN SERIES PROVIDING REDUNDANT OPERATION WHICH PREVENTS ORBITER SUPPLY TEMPERATURE FLUCTUA-TION AND OPERATION INTERVENTION DURING A POSSIBLE REFRIGERATION UNIT FAILURE. THIS FEATURE WILL SIMPLIFY LAUNCH COMMIT CRITERIA
- SYSTEM USES LIGHTER, MORE RELIABLE 4-TON COMPRESSORS INSTEAD OF 20-TON COMPRESSORS THAT EXIST IN THE PRESENT SYSTEM
- SYSTEM HAS COMPLETE SUPPORT DOCUMENTATION WHICH ALLOWS UNITS TO BE MODIFIED FOR UNKNOWN FUTURE REQUIREMENTS AND ENHANCES OPERATIONS OF THE GSE
- SYSTEM IS CONSIDERABLY LESS EXPENSIVE IN FABRICATION THAN THE PRESENT GSE
- SYSTEM HAS AUTOMATIC PUMP DOWN CAPABILITY



CONTROLS

- STATE OF THE ART
- SYSTEM IS PICTORIAL, PROVIDING INSTANT RECOGNITION OF PERFORMANCE
- CONTROLS ARE MODULAR, ELIMINATING DOWNTIME
- TROUBLE SCREENS INSTANTLY IDENTIFY PROBLEMS (SOURCES AND LOCATIONS) AND PROVIDE DIRECTIONS ON HOW TO CORRECT THEM
- REAL-TIME PERFORMANCE CALCULATIONS CAN BE PERFORMED AND CONTINUOUSLY DISPLAYED
- SYSTEM HAS DATA RECALL CAPABILITY PROVIDING A SIGNATURE OF THE MACHINE'S PERFORMANCE, HISTORY, AND RELIABILITY
- CONTROLS ARE EXPANDABLE
- CONTROLS ARE COMPACT
- MONITOR IS NEMA IV CONSTRUCTION
- SYSTEM HAS LPS REDUNDANCY
- CONTROL FUNCTIONS ARE MORE ACCURATE THAN THE EXISTING EQUIPMENT



CONTROLS (CONT.)

- THE CONTROLS DO NOT TAKE AWAY EXISTING CAPABILITY; RATHER, THEY ENHANCE IT
- SYSTEM HAS FULL MANUAL CAPABILITY AND FULL AUTOMATIC CAPABILITY
- SIMPLE OPERATION AS EASY AS A REFRIGERATOR
- SYSTEM HAS PASSWORD-LEVEL ENTRY PREVENTING INEXPERIENCED PERSONNEL FROM MANGLING THE EQUIPMENT
- CAPABILITY EXISTS TO MONITOR SYSTEM REMOTELY AND INEXPENSIVELY BY TELEPHONE LINE
- UNITS HAVE INDEPENDENT CONTROLS FOR REDUNDANCY
- PROGRAMS ARE STORED IN NON-VOLATILE MEMORY AND WILL BE CONTROLLED BY TDC RELEASE
- SYSTEM OPERATION WILL BE BY PICTURE AND BUTTON AND WILL NOT REQUIRE COMPUTER KNOWLEDGE
- ABNORMAL CONDITIONS WILL BE CLEARLY DISPLAYED AND DOCUMENTED
- SYSTEM HISTORY CAN BE STORED AND RECALLED ON THE DISPLAY TO AID DIAGNOSTICS

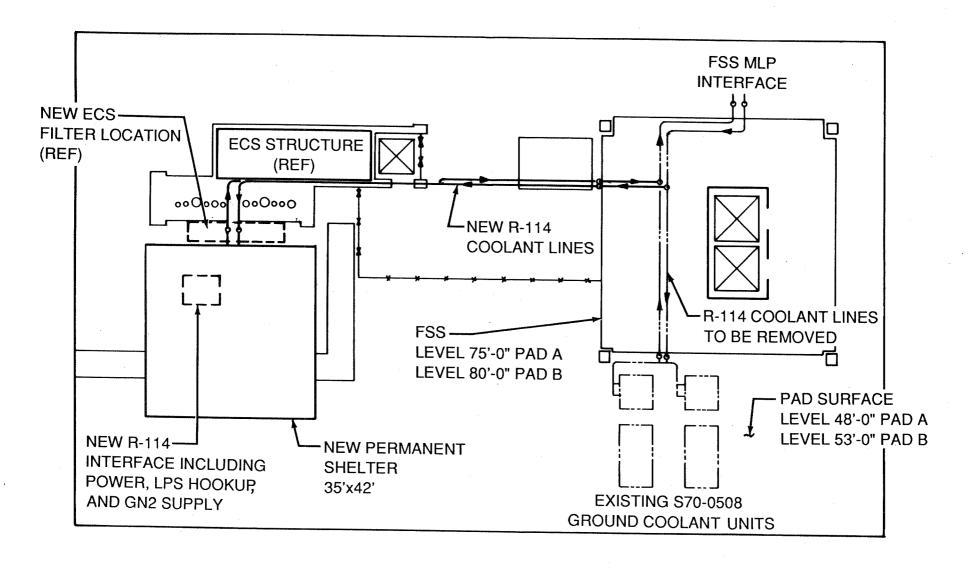
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MANAGEMENT BRIEFING ADDENDUM

METHOD OF DESIGN FOR GROUND COOLANT SYSTEM TO PAD A AND PAD B

PLAN - PAD SURFACE





PAD A AND B

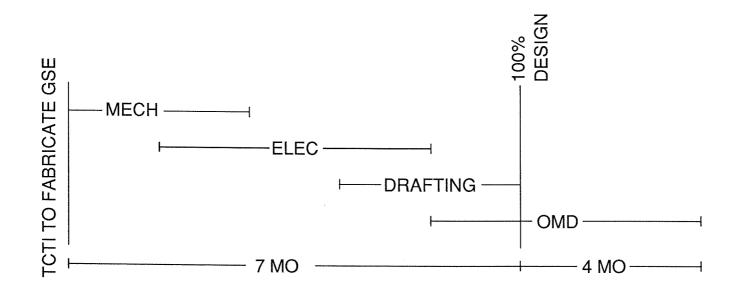
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- MECHANICAL INSTALLATION DESIGN
 - MODIFY FLUID DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM
- ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION DESIGN
 - USE EXISTING HIM SPACE
 - PROVIDE HARDWIRE SAFING PANEL IN FIRING ROOMS (TBD)
 - ADD NEW CABLING TO GSE
- BUILDING
 - DESIGNED AND CONSTRUCTED USING C of F FUNDING



PAD A AND B

INSTALLATION DESIGN

| MECHANICAL | 3 MO | 480 MH |
|------------|------|--------|
| ELECTRICAL | 4 MO | 600 MH |
| DRAFTING | 4 MO | 640 MH |
| OMD | 6 MO | 500 MH |



PAD A AND B

COSTS

| _ | | | | |
|---|--------------------------|----------------------|-------------|-----------|
| | DESIGN | 2,220 MH x \$33/MH | = \$ | 73,260 |
| | EQUIPMENT | \$1.1 MILLION/PAD | = \$2 | 2,200,000 |
| | FPC-INSTL | \$250,000/PAD | = \$ | 500,000 |
| | CHECKOUT | 480 MH/PAD x \$33/MH | = \$ | 31,680 |
| | SPARE LRU (509/510's) | \$400,000 | = \$ | 400,000 |
| | ELECTRICAL MISC | \$100,000/PAD | <u>= \$</u> | 200,000 |
| | TOTAL | | = \$3 | 3,404,940 |

INSTALLATION

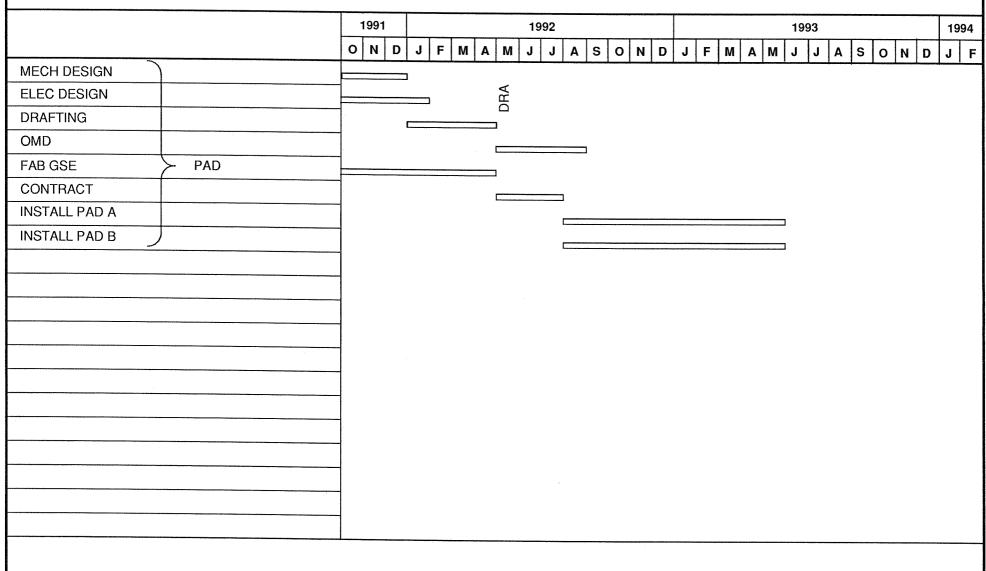
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BUILDING

| D | E | S | I | G | N |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | |

| STRUCTURAL | 400 MH x \$33/MH | = \$ | 13,200 |
|------------|------------------|------|--------|
| MECHANICAL | 200 MH x \$33/MH | = \$ | 66,000 |
| ELECTRICAL | 200 MH x \$33/MH | = \$ | 66,000 |

TOTAL = \$145,200/PAD

FPC

| STRUCTURAL | = \$ | 147,000 |
|------------|-------------|-------------|
| MECHANICAL | = \$ | 20,000 |
| ELECTRICAL | <u>= \$</u> | 20,000 |
| TOTAL | = \$ | 187,000/PAD |

TOTAL/PAD = \$332,200

TOTAL PAD A AND PAD B = \$664,400

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